Docket No.: HK-643 MM 2 1 2001

04-D0

I hereby certify that this correspondences being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the date indicated below.

Date: March 15, 2002

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

Jörg-Achim Fischer et al.

Applic. No.

10/073,848

Filed

February 11, 2002

Title

Multibeam Scanning Device for Scanning a Photosensitive Material

with a Multi-Spot Array, and Method of Correcting the Position of

Image Points of the Multi-Spot Array

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

German Published, Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 197 43 943 A1 (Weichmann et al.), dated April 29, 1999, printing machine with a device compensating for mistakes in putting images on a form cylinder;

German Published, Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 198 40 926 A1 (Jürgensen), dated May 4, 2000, method and arrangement for machining material via laser rays;

German Search Report dated January 23, 2002.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97(e) the undersigned herewith states that each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was cited in a

communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

If no translation of pertinent portions of any foreign language patents or publications mentioned above is included with the aforementioned copies of those applications, patents and/or publications, it is because no existing translation is readily available to the applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

For Applicants

Date: March 15, 2002

Lerner And Greenberg, P.A. Post Office Box 2480 Hollywood, FL 33022-2480

Tel: (954) 925-1100 Fax: (954) 925-1101

/bmb

Mark P. Weichselbaum Reg. No. 43,248

		101 "UTES						
		MAR 2 1 2002						
		Man. app.				Sh	eet 1	of 1
FORM PTO-1449 (SUBSTRUTTE) OF THE ADEL				Attorney Docket No.: Applic. No. HK-643 10/073,848				
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE								
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE				Applicant Jörg-Achim Fischer et al.				
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (37 CFR 1.98(b))				Filing Date Group Art Unit				
	(37 C	FR 1.98(D))	February 11, 2002					
		U.S.	PATENT (DOCUMENTS				
EXAMINER		PATENT NO.	DATE	PATENTEE	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILI DA	
INITIALS	A	PATENTINO.	DATE	·	CLASS	CLASS	UA	16
	В							
	С							
	D							
	E							
	F				ļ <u>.</u>		<u> </u>	
	G							
	H							
	1		<u> </u>		<u> </u>		<u> </u>	
		FOREI	GN PATE	NT DOCUMENT				
		DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB CLASS	TRAI YES	
	J	197 43 943 A1	04/29/99	Germany				X
	К	198 40 926 A1	05/04/00	Germany				Х
	L							
	М							
	N							
отн	ER DO	OCUMENTS (Incli	uding Auth	or, Title, Date, Pe	ertinent Pa	ages, etc.	.)	
	О							
	Р			-				
EXAMINER	ED							
EVANIALED: 1	nitial is	oitation considered	whothere	not citation in in an	nformana	with MADE	D 600	•
Draw line throu	igh cita	citation considered, tion if not in conform						
next communic	cation t	o applicant.						